

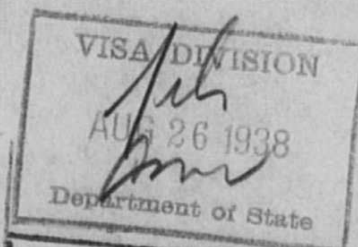
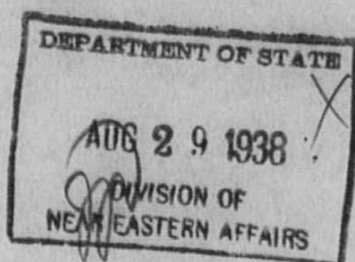
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The emigration of settlers and workers from the Julian Provinces of Italy, (Trieste, Udine, Gorizia, Istria and Fiume) to Italian East Africa in the triennium 1935-37 is shown by statistics recently published. The number of emigrants was about 15,000, a surprisingly small number considering the hundreds of thousands who

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have left these provinces in former periods of large scale migration for settlement abroad. Moreover, the above figure is largely offset by the approximate 10,000 persons who have returned to Italy from East Africa within the same three years.

The Province of Udine furnished roughly 10,000, or two-thirds of the emigrants to Italian East Africa, while the other provinces contributed approximately as follows: Istria, 1,500; Trieste, 1,250; Gorizia, 1,000; Fiume, 500. Relative to these figures, the ratio of persons returning from Italian East Africa in the period 1935-37 is as follows: Istria, 80 per cent; Udine, 60 per cent; Gorizia, 50 per cent; Trieste, 40 per cent.

On the basis of statistics of postal order remittances from Italian East Africa from January, 1935, to the end of June, 1937, the various Julian provinces shared in the money receipts as follows: Udine, 50 million lire; Trieste, 10 million; Gorizia, 3 million; Istria, 2 million; Fiume, 1 million.

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